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Time capsule buried at Yuk

Story and photo by Peter Rejcek

Mark the date on your calendar: Jan. 1, 2025. Don't be late for the opening of Kwajalein's first time capsule.

Can't make it? Too bad, because there are all kinds of Kwaj items that might jog old memories.

The futuristic laundry list includes a black flip-flop; a flashlight; a shaved ice T-shirt from Nate and Shigeko Jackson; a Prinz Eugen T-shirt from the scuba club; an alcohol ration card; a CD of Kwaj songs; a Marshallese Bible; several editions of the *Hourglass*; shell jewelry; taxi tickets;

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The Kwajalein time capsule is buried Saturday in front of the Yokwe Yuk Club.

Caution: Road work ahead

Story and photo by KW Hillis

Instead of red and green holiday decorations, Kwajalein will be decorated in orange for the next six months.

Orange barriers and cones are already lining Lagoon Road and Sixth Street, signaling the start of major roadwork on Kwaj.

By this summer, with weather and equipment permitting, more than 30,000 tons of asphalt will be used to pave Kwaj's roads.

The actual paving won't start until mid-February, according to Doug Vander Veen, construction project manager. Meanwhile, just what is all the trenching and digging about?

Scott Harford, Outside Cable Plant Restoration (OSCAR) project manager and chief engineer, and Stan Jazwinski, utilities superintendent, gave an overview of what is currently being done to the streets.

"OSCAR is broken down into four phases. The first two will take place before the end of the fiscal year. More

than 30,000 feet of communication lines will be buried and the bulk of the line will have 1,800 pairs of telephone wires in it," Harford said.

Jazwinski added, "We'll be doing several years of digging in six months to fit it in before the road gets paved. We'll be digging many places simultaneously and inconveniencing a lot of the public.

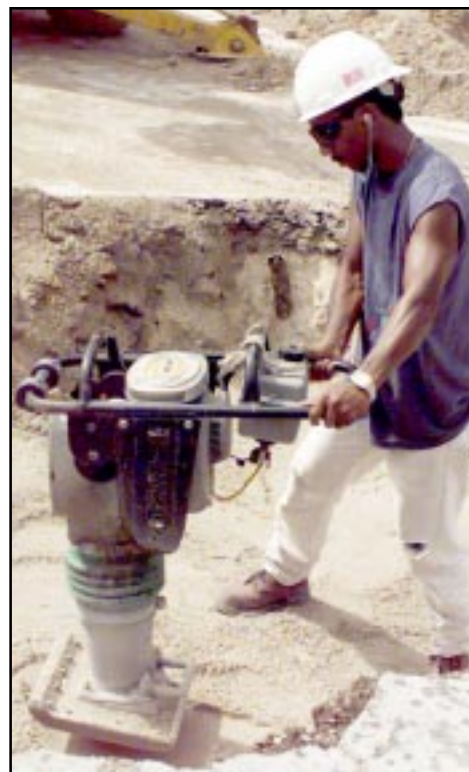
"Right now we are putting in thousands of feet of conduit in the first phase of OSCAR in every place that involves a road crossing," he said.

The other pre-road paving projects have involved copious trenching, replacement of sewer pipes and potable and non-potable water main lines, as well as installation of hundreds of feet of storm drains.

In addition, curbs and sidewalks are being replaced or added.

The first phase of underground work on the OSCAR project should be completed by the end of February, according to Harford.

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Penny Albert compresses the soil over a newly installed storm drainage pipe at Sixth Street and Lagoon Road.

Work for repaving project requires preparation ...

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Meanwhile, Vander Veen, who was project manager for the Roi repaving project, has not been idle waiting for the actual paving to start on Feb. 15.

Already, 9,000 barrels, each containing 52 gallons of asphalt residue, have arrived on the island and are being stored near the barge slip ramp (BSR). A total of 11,000 barrels will be needed to produce the asphalt.

"Thirty-thousand tons of asphalt will be made in the asphalt plant on the island. The asphalt residue only makes up eight percent of each pound of asphalt. The rest is 54 percent aggregate and 36 percent coral sand," explained Vander Veen.

While the coral sand is available locally, the aggregate has to be shipped to Kwaj. On Jan. 6, 15,000 tons of aggregate arrived via Crowley Marine Services on the two huge barges previously used to deliver construction equipment to Roi. Both the *Mystic* and the *Gulf Condor* were used to muscle the gigantic barges to the BSR for unloading.

In addition to repaving existing paved roads, some of the roads will be completely rebuilt. Lagoon from Third

MATERIALS Pre & Post Road Work

INSTALLED/REPLACED:

Storm drains:	2,000 ft
Non-potable water mains:	1,000 ft
Potable water mains:	700 ft
Sewer pipes:	1,500 ft
Conduit:	44,000 ft
Telephone line:	30,000 ft

Paving

Aggregate:	15,000 tons
Coral sand:	10,000 tons
Asphalt residue:	572,000 gals

Total amount of asphalt: 30,000 tons

to Eighth streets and Sixth Street from Ocean to the Dock Security Checkpoint will be completely redone and crowned so drainage will improve. Lagoon from Redstone to Western is also slated to be redone.

According to Vander Veen, the road repaving is scheduled to be completed in a total of 90 work days, with 60 days designated for roadwork and 30 days for parking lots.

The progression will be: First, the

loop areas that were not repaved in the first phase of the repaving project. Then new housing will be repaved, followed by old housing, and finally, the industrial or downtown area.

Vander Veen mentioned that the biggest challenge was that the island had only one asphalt plant and one asphalt spreader, and without these machines the work would stop.

Harford, Jazwinski and Vander Veen all noted safety was a big concern during the multi-phase projects.

"We're already seeing adults pick up their bikes, lift them over the barriers and trenches and then get on and ride off. The adults don't set a good example, and unlike Roi, there are children here watching," Jazwinski said.

Vander Veen added, "The asphalt is placed at 350 degrees and stays warm from four to six hours. We can place asphalt on a quarter mile of road the size of Lagoon in an afternoon. That's a lot of hot road to monitor, and it can burn if it comes in contact with your skin.

"We did not have one accident on Roi during the project there," he noted. "We would like to repeat that here."

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Capsule to contain Kwaj paraphernalia ...

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various photographs; a check for \$0 from Amy Hansen; a video compilation of the "Window on the Atoll"; and a coin from Col. Gary K. McMillen, USAKA/

KMR commander.

Lt. Col. David K. Stoddard, deputy commander, presided over the burial of the time capsule, which took place in front of the Yuk Club Saturday.



University of Maryland

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Term III registration is Monday, Jan. 17, 8 a.m.-noon; Tuesday, Jan. 18, through Saturday, Jan. 22, 4-8 p.m., in the University of Maryland office, Bldg. 368. Classes start Jan. 25. Register by calling 52800. The schedule is subject to change at any time prior to registration. Contact a field representative for the latest Distance Education information. Questions? Call 52800 or e-mail us at umkwaj@kls.usaka.smdc.army.mil or umkwaj@hotmail.com

Figure 4: Surface and airspace caution areas for IFT-4

Pohnpei is a popular paradise for the stressed



Story by Bob Fore

Photos by Charlie and Susan Henson

Pohnpei is a popular destination already for many Kwajers who need to get away from it all for a few days. With restaurants and hotels to suit most tastes, great diving and spectacular vistas, it is an ideal spot for relaxation.

The state of Pohnpei is made up of the main island of Pohnpei, eight nearby atolls and Minto Reef, totaling 133 square miles of land area.

Located 700 miles west-southwest of Kwajalein, the island has an estimated population of 35,000.

"Pohnpei is a much more lively island, geared towards tourism," said Vicky Gil with Continental Travel on Kwajalein. "There is also a heavy

Lush tropical foliage, rivers, waterfalls and streams greet visitors to Pohnpei. A vibrant tourism industry brings tourists from all over the world to this small Pacific island nation. Whether it is diving, scenic beauty or culture you are after, Pohnpei will provide all of that and more for a perfect mini-vacation getaway.



nightlife, with music, clubs and nice restaurants."

Lush tropical forests cover the rugged interior all the way to the 2,500-foot-high summits of Nahnalaud (Big Mountain) and smaller Ngiheni (Giant's Tooth).

Pohnpei is one of the wetter places on Earth, with an average rainfall of 193 inches per year in the low-lying areas and as much as 400 inches in the highest elevations. January and February are the driest months, and April and May the wettest. Be prepared for sporadic showers throughout the day.

Seemingly endless precipitation provides the source for some 42 rivers and streams, which descend from the highlands over numerous waterfalls. Pools at the bases of the falls, as well as the rivers, provide plenty of places for taking a leisurely swim or a picnic.

Mangrove swamps, more than a half-mile wide in places, surround the island. There are no real beaches on Pohnpei, though there are some artificial ones, as well as authentic patches on some of the nearby reef islets.

The island also boasts a wide vari-

ety of ruins from every period in the island's history, which is highly unusual for islands in the Pacific.

History

Tradition has it that an octopus told a group of people from a distant island of a shallow spot in the ocean. These seafarers arrived at the area and invoked the deities to use coral and rocks to create the island.

Subsequent groups arrived, each bringing more skills that helped to create the Pohnpei of today.

Pohnpei, which was made up of three separate kingdoms, was conquered by the Kosraen warrior Isokelekel in the 17th century. His descendants are traditional chiefs today.

Though found and claimed by a Spanish expedition in 1529 and again in 1595, Pohnpei was only occupied by Spain after the Germans claimed the Carolines in 1885.

Germany bought the islands from Spain in 1899 and developed the copra trade. German rule over the islands was heavy-handed, and some islanders were either executed or sent to the phosphate mines at Belau.

In 1914, the Japanese occupied



The influence of Western religion can be seen in the number of churches located throughout the island.

the islands, bringing thousands of Japanese colonists. At the beginning of World War II they outnumbered the Pohnpeians by three to one. Fortunately, the fighting bypassed the islands.

Today, after years as a Trust Territory, it is the capital of the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM).

Sights

Nan Madol, created between 1285 and 1485, is a series of stone compounds and buildings, each of which served a very specific purpose. It is on the east side of Pohnpei near Temwen Island.

Some 80 artificial islands, separated by channels, make up Nan Madol. All the building materials for the city were brought in by bamboo raft.

Hotel tours are available to Nan Madol. Visitors can also wade across from Madolenihmw to Temwen Island, then travel through the swamp at low tide, though they should be wary of getting stuck by rising waters. Motorized boats and canoes are also available for charter.

Joy Island, a sandy islet near Nan Madol, provides a great place to relax. There are a number of small, thatched cottages at reasonable prices, but there is no restaurant or snack bar. Visitors need to bring their own food from Kolonia. Reserved tickets must be purchased at the Joy Restaurant in Kolonia.

Kolonia has the remains of an old Spanish wall from the 19th century, as well as a Catholic mission that was built in the early 1900s. All that remains of the mission is the belfry and the apse.

The village of Kapingamarangi at Poraklet provides a look at the Polynesian lifestyle. The distinctive thatched huts sit on stone platforms and have open sides.

Southwest of Kolonia are the remnants of an old Japanese fighter plane base, an abandoned pepper plantation and a small volcanic mound called Pwiseum Malek, which offers a

striking panoramic view.

Near Kolonia is the 270-foot Sokehs Mountain (Pohndolap). It provides a wonderful panorama of Kolonia and has the remains of two large Japanese antiaircraft guns and a six-inch naval gun in a defense works, which command the heights.

The Pohnpei Agricultural and Trade School (PATS) at Madolenihmw runs a small coconut production facility offering coconut-oil soap, shampoo and skin creams.

Dining and accommodations

There is a wide selection of places



Waterfalls abound on Pohnpei, providing welcome spots for a quick dip or the perfect picnic.

for dining and entertainment available on Pohnpei. Apart from Guam, Pohnpei has the widest variation of activities for the night owl.

Likewise, there is a larger selection of accommodations for most budgets.

"The service and food were good in the rustic atmosphere at our hotel," said Kwajalein resident Charlie Henson, who traveled there last year with his wife, Susan.

The Federated States of Micronesia has a Web site on the Internet at www.fm/index.htm, which has a listing of restaurants and hotels on the different islands that will prove useful to travelers.

Culture

"Pohnpei was everything we had expected, except ten-fold," Henson said. "It was a very comfortable place to be; the people were all warm and friendly, with smiles and greetings. I never felt threatened at all."

Outside of the towns, people follow traditional lifestyles, living in groups of individual houses with land surrounding them. Five of the six municipalities on Pohnpei are run by lines of important chiefs and nobles.

Pohnpeian crafts extend to wood carvings, stools, canoes, wall hangings, trays, mats, basket, fans, necklaces and handbags.

Getting there

Continental Air Micronesia provides flights on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays to Kosrae with onward destinations to Pohnpei, Chuuk and Guam. Return flights to Kwajalein are scheduled on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Diving information

There are a variety of dive facilities available for scuba and snorkeling enthusiasts.

"Diving and tours are very nice on Pohnpei, and there are a lot of choices," said Cindy Harris of Micronesian Divers Association, Inc. in Guam, which arranges tours to the different islands in this area of the Pacific. "There are a number of dive shops, though some are more geared to Japanese-speak-

ing divers from what I understand."

Crystal clear water conceals dazzling corals of the hard and soft varieties. Ant, Pakin and Black Coral are the best dive locations, with colorful dropoffs, anemones and gorgonian sea fans. Sea turtles, black- and white-tip reef sharks and manta rays are in abundance for divers lucky enough to check out this pristine underwater world.

Information sources

- *Micronesia Handbook*, David Stanley, ed.
- *South Pacific Handbook*, Bill Dalton, ed.
- *Micronesian Divers Assoc., Inc.*, Cindy Harris—tour coordinator, (671)472-6324/6325 (Guam)
- *Federated States of Micronesia web page at www.fm/Index.htm*

Classified Ads and Community Notices

HELP WANTED

DRAFTER, Configuration and Data Management. Full-time position. Individual will be responsible for clerical drafting duties including logging in of incoming drawings; delivering drawings to customers; data entry of drawing numbers and activity into MS Access; filing drawings and drafting requests; compiling weekly activity sheets and reports; and assisting drafters as needed. Requires travel to Roi-Namur twice a week. Must have knowledge of MS Word, Excel and Access. For more information or to submit an application, call HR, Nancy, 53705.

SERVICE DESK REPRESENTATIVE, Project Planning and Control. Full-time position. Duties include processing service orders and work requests, and dispatching of trouble call responses. Individual must possess good organizational, customer-service and interpersonal communication skills. Knowledge of construction helpful, as well as MS Word and Excel. Submit application or resumé to HR, Nancy, 53705.

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST, Supply and Transportation (non-stock supply). Temporary position. Individual will be responsible for assisting customers with supply orders; data entry and tracking in Gold+; processing and expediting orders with vendor purchasing; and reconciling receipts and shipments with freight operations. Individual must have strong verbal and written communication skills and knowledge of MS Office. Submit an application to HR, Nancy, 53705.

SECRETARY, Human Resources. Full-time position. Individual will be responsible for general secretarial duties including, but not limited to, filing, typing, phone coverage and answering basic HR inquiries, as well as directing the flow of employees/customers coming to the office. Individual must have experience in computers, including MS Word and Excel, along with excellent verbal and written communication skills. For more information or to submit an application/resumé, call HR, Nancy, 53705.

ADULT NIGHT SUPERVISOR needed for evening recreation programs. This is a paid position and a great opportunity to get involved in community activities. Supervisors are needed for volleyball starting Jan. 12 and softball starting Feb. 4. For more information, call Lynn, 53331.

FLIGHT ATTENDANT, Aviation. Full-time position. Individual will be responsible for passenger safety during air and ground operations; preparing aircraft cabin for flight; assisting the boarding of passengers; and conducting safety briefings. For more information or to submit an application, call HR, Nancy, 53705.

INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST, Medical Dept. Full-time position. Individual will perform all aspects of supply and equipment procurement. Spreadsheet/database and Gold+ experience required. Submit an application or resumé to HR, Nancy, 53705.

RECREATION AIDE, Bowling Center. Part-time position. Candidate must be willing to work evenings and weekends and be on-call as needed. Duties include handling cash and working with machinery. Submit application to HR, Nancy, 53705.

DIVISION MANAGER'S SECRETARY, Facilities Support Division. Full-time position. Immediate availability. Manager seeks assistant extraordinaire. Looking for someone who not only can perform standard clerical duties (answering phones, filing, appointment calendar and mail), but who can also lighten manager's heavy administrative burden. Good computer skills and familiarity with Microsoft Office (MS Word, Excel, Outlook and PowerPoint) required. Must have excellent oral and written communication skills and customer service skills. If you are interested in this challenging position, call HR, Nancy, 53705.

HOUSING ASSISTANT. Full-time position available. Responsibilities include maintaining the family housing database (Fox Pro), providing RSE management and USAKA/KMR with reports and statistics and coordinating family housing assignments and termination with the organizational housing representative. For more information and/or to fill out an application, call HR, Nancy, 53705.

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN, Aeromet Weather Station. Responsibilities include installing, maintaining, troubleshooting and repairing weather and weather-related systems throughout the atoll, as well as working rotating meteorological observer shifts. Specific job tasks include maintenance and repair of weather radar, weather satellite receiver, computer workstations and PCs, upper air sounding systems, wire and fiber communications and meteorological observing and recording systems. Knowledge of radar systems and calibration techniques is highly desired. Call Julie Rehman, 51508.

ACCOUNTING CLERK, Finance Dept. Full-time (or job share) position. Individual will be responsible for formal billing, assisting with formal collections, postage meter, delivery of U.S. mail, answering telephones and various other office tasks. Good communication skills a must. Must be detail-oriented and have good computer skills with knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel. For more information or to submit an application, call HR, Nancy, 53705.

Raytheon postings for on-island positions are listed in the Hourglass. Off-island positions are updated weekly in the Career Opportunities Book at the HR counter, Bldg. 700.

WANTED

WHITE GINGER plants to purchase. Call Peter, 53651.

CHILD CARE for four-month-old, Tuesday-Saturday, 12:30-4:30 p.m. Call Sarah, 53500.

UNDERWATER video camera to use mid-January. Will pay for use. Call 50150.

HOUSE OR TRAILER to sit April 15-30.

Small Arms Range Notice

The small arms range will be in operation Thursday, Jan. 13, 7:30 a.m.-noon. Avoid the hazard area shown below.



Family coming for a visit. Call Tom Krasuski, 52573H or 58331W.

BABY-SITTING IN HOME two days per week after school until 5 p.m. Call Trish, 53411.

COLOR GAMEBOY. Call Ramsey Abouzahra, 54697 after 3:30 p.m.

RETURN OF Christmas decorations (six snowmen and six candy canes) removed from front yard at Qtrs. 456-A Friday, Dec. 31, between noon and 2:30 p.m. No questions asked.

JUDO INSTRUCTOR. Call Eric, 54364.

CHILDREN'S MAGAZINES: "Highlights," "Geographic World," "Ranger Rick," "Contact," or others for ESL classes. Old dictionaries and word games are also needed. Call Gerri, 51107 or 54430.

THE HOURGLASS will soon be running a series on travel to the island of Guam. We need aerial photos or any photos with scenic or cultural content. Photo credit will be given and photos will be returned. Call Bob, 53539.

DO YOU KNOW someone in the community who volunteers his or her time above and beyond the call of duty? If so, drop that person's name along with a 25-word description of that person's contribution in the *Hourglass* drop box (Building 805, second floor).

LOST

SANYO CD player at Emon Beach Jan. 4. Reward offered. Call 54322.

TWO ENVELOPES: one addressed to Walgreens Healthcare Plus; one addressed to United Healthcare-Diversified (UHC). Very important. Call Bobbi, 52576.

CHILD'S SHOVEL, blue with beige handle at Coral Sands Beach, Jan. 1. Call 53124.

SLEEPING BAG with pillow and cover; pink flowers and lattice. Call Jane, 52379.

FOUND

GIRLS' BIKE, small, pink with basket on front. Call 54784.

SMALL BLACK and WHITE CAT has taken up residence at Qtrs. 212-B. Has no collar, but affectionate and friendly. Call 52534.

CLASSES AND COURSES

ART GUILD will hold a workshop on how to make a simple mosaic Monday, Jan. 18, 1-

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4 p.m. To register, call Dana, 54216.

COMMUNITY EDUCATION ESL II is postponed. New time is Feb. 2 through March 17.

FOR SALE

U.S. DIVERS, Jacques Cousteau, blue on black XL BCD, non-weight integrated, two years old, in water once, \$275. Call 56360W or 56645H.

PCS SALE. Ceiling fan, patio cover and more. Call Michael Bright, 52652H or 57001W.

OLD COMBINATION-TYPE post office box fronts, great for making banks, keepsake treasures and more. Combinations set, all in perfect working condition. Call 54302 after 5 p.m.

DEHUMIDIFIER, very good condition; Diaper Genie with three new refills, excellent condition. Call 53698.

THREE BEAUTIFUL shell mirrors: two are 23" x 23", \$150 each; one is 23" x 36", \$300. Call Jean, 53663 after 5 p.m.

GIRLS' 20" HUFFY, brand new with fender, assembled, \$65; Panasonic 10-cup rice cooker/steamer, brand new, \$35; girls' 16" bike, excellent condition, \$25; boys' 12" bike, good condition, \$10; exercise stepper, excellent condition, \$75; adult tricycle, good condition, \$150; "The Right Start" double-stroller, sit and stand style, \$50. Call 53633 afternoons.

15-SPEED Kwaj-condition Huffy, \$30. Call 53713.

25" PANASONIC color TV with four-head VCR and FM radio, \$150; men's three-speed bike, \$25. Call 53975 and leave a message.

PLAYER PIANO circa 1910, player needs work, piano plays, needs restoration, \$400. Call 53235.

SOFA, \$300; TV stand, \$20; bookcase (six cinder blocks and two long redwood slabs), \$25; light blue Oriental carpet, 9' x 12', \$75; light blue Oriental runner, \$20; 9' x 6' multi-brown carpet, \$35; Navy blue Oriental carpet, 6' x 9', \$30; 9' x 12' light blue carpet, \$30; handmade oval multi-colored carpet, \$30; living room mocha frost carpet, 12' x 15', \$50; mocha frost carpet, 6' x 9', \$25; suitcase, \$15; vanity case, \$10; metal cabinet, \$8; wooden cabinet, \$10; cinder blocks and concrete yard slabs, \$40 for all; fishing balls, \$2 and \$3 each; plant pots, 50¢ each; hard-side suitcase, \$25; vanity case, \$20; garment bag, \$25. Call 52449 after 5 p.m.

MEN'S SINGLE-SPEED red Huffy, used, \$45. Call 52063.

RAINBOW IRONS golf ensemble, brand new, never used, (2-9, pw, sw, putter) with graphite drive, travel bag cover and a Kwaj-condition golf cart, all for \$250; Sharper Image back massager, brand new, still in box, \$100; roller skates, size 7/8, \$20; two packages of vacuum bags for Hoover upright-A, \$5. Call 52305.

FULL-SIZE comforter set, red and green floral print, with sheets, shams and two valances, \$25; Sharp four-head VCR with remote, needs cleaning, \$75; camera heat box, prevents condensation on lens, \$10; new 26" bicycle fenders, \$5. Call 52589.

"QUILTING," "Cross Stitch," "Decorative Arts" (tole) magazines, 25¢ each; tole paints, 25¢; paperbacks, 25¢ each; fabric; storage and organizer boxes; laser disc player with five discs, \$150; keyboard, \$150 or best offer. Call 54533.

COMPUTER 75 PENTIUM processor, \$500; computer games: "Command and Conquer: Red Alert: Counterstrike," \$25; "Command and Conquer: Tiberian Sun," \$50; "Command and Conquer Classic," \$25; "Warcraft: Orcs and Humans," \$25; "Warcraft 2: Tides of Darkness," \$25; "Warcraft 2: Beyond the Dark Portal," \$25; "Dark Colony," \$25; "Ages of Empire," \$15; "Dark Reign: The Future of War," \$40; "7th Guest," \$25; "The 11th Hour," \$25; "The Wheel of Time," \$50; or best offer. Call Jacob, 52295.

20" PANASONIC TV (recent purchase) and VCR still in box, never used, both for \$450. Call 54591.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

PARENTS: There will be a meeting for parents and community members to have the opportunity to comment on the proposed foreign language and music curriculum Friday, Jan. 21, 7 p.m., in the high school library. Questions? Call the high school principal, 52011.

FREE TELESCOPE viewing tomorrow night and Thursday night, dusk to 9 p.m., at Emon Beach near the snack bar. Weather permitting. For more information, call Bob Carson, 52244.

NEXT JUNIOR golf clinic will be tomorrow, 5 p.m., at Kwajalein golf course. All junior golfers (boys and girls 6-17 years

old) are welcome. For more information, call Rudy Gil, 52412.

SCUBADOO 2000 tickets are still available. Join us for Kwajalein's biggest party of the year. For information or tickets, call Amy LaCost, 52681.

KWAJALEIN SCUBA CLUB'S monthly meeting will be tomorrow, 7 p.m., in the CRC. For information, call Doug Hepler, 52681.

SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL will hold its monthly public meeting Wednesday, Jan. 19, 7 p.m., in CAC Room 7.

AMERICAN LEGION'S monthly meeting will be Wednesday, Jan. 19, 6 p.m., at the Vets' Hall. Post meetings for January and February are the third Wednesday of the month. All current and prospective members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

CWF will host a women's weekly Bible study beginning tomorrow, 9-11 a.m., in the REB. "A Woman's Heart, God's Dwelling Place," an in-depth study of the Old Testament tabernacle by Beth Moore, will be the study guide. Questions? Call Lora, 54186.

KWAJALEIN ART GUILD has extended its hours for art supply sales during January. Supplies may be purchased Sundays, noon-1 p.m., at the Art Annex. Questions? Call Dana, 54216.

ANECDOTES INCLUDED with your Kwaj cookbook recipes add interest and make it unique. Print or type and send to CWF, P.O. Box 1068, Local. Include your phone number. Questions? Call Pat, 53355.

KAISC MONTHLY meeting will be Thursday, 7 p.m., at the Pacific Club. 2000 dues will be collected and new lock box keys issued.

TUESDAY NIGHT bowling league starts the spring season tonight. A meeting will be held at 5:45 p.m. and bowling begins at 6 p.m. A few spots are available. Questions? Call Hal, 53691.

WEIGH DOWN workshop will hold an orientation Thursday, 7 p.m., in the REB. If food controls your life, come join us. Questions? Call 52681.

COME WORSHIP each Sunday in CRC Room 1, 10:45-11:45 a.m. Be encouraged in Christ through study and fellowship. Bible classes are Wednesdays, 7-8 p.m., in the Religious Education Building.

DURING THE MONTHLY supply barge operation Friday, all personnel are asked to remain outside the barricaded one-block area around the supply warehouse complex. This area is bounded by Marine Road, Poinsettia Street, and 6th and 8th streets. This request is in the interest of everyone's safety. Questions? Call Shipping and Receiving, 52180.

KWAJALEIN CHILD Development Center is currently conducting a survey to determine if we are meeting the island's child care needs. Any parents who have child care needs should fill out the survey form which is available by contacting the KAPS' office, 52158.

The barber shop
now offers
men's product line



Body scrub
Cologne
Shaving cream
Conditioners

Shampoos
Styling aids

See you at the movies!**Saturday****The Shadow (PG-13, 1994)**

The popular phantom crimefighter of radio and pulp magazine fame is brought to the big screen. The mysterious alter-ego of Lamont Cranston matches wits with evil Shiwan Khan, a descendant of Ghengis Khan, in 1930's New York City. (Penelope Ann Miller, John Lone, Tim Curry, Peter Boyle) (108 minutes)

Richardson Theater, 7:30 p.m.

The Wood (New Release, R, 1999)

Perpetual jitters provide the backdrop for this African-American coming-of-age saga, as seen through the eyes of three twenty-something friends as they reminisce about growing up in California in the 80s. (Omar Epps, Taye Diggs, Richard T. Jones, Sean Nelson) (106 minutes)

Yokwe Yuk Theater, 8:00 p.m.

Fiddler on the Roof (Classic, G, 1971)

One of Broadway's greatest musicals comes to the screen. A man struggles to keep his family together and Jewish traditions alive in their turn-of-the-century Russian village. (Topol, Norma Crane, Molly Picon) (178 minutes)

Tradewinds Theater, Roi-Namur, 8:00 p.m.

Sunday**She Done Him Wrong (Classic, NR, 1933)**

A notorious saloon singer invites a Salvation Army officer to "come up sometime ... and see me." (Cary Grant, Mae West) (65 minutes)

Richardson Theater, 7:30 p.m.

Fiddler on the Roof (G, 1971)

Richardson Theater, 9:30 p.m.

The Wood (New Release, R, 1999)

Tradewinds Theater, Roi-Namur, 7:30 p.m.

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Yokwe Yuk Theater, 8:00 p.m.

Club to mark Martin Luther King Jr. Day

By Jim Bennett

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. will be remembered on Kwajalein during a Saturday luncheon at the Yokwe Yuk Club. The national holiday that bears his name is on Jan. 17.

Col. Gary K. McMillen, USAKA/KMR commander, will be the featured speaker. 1st Sgt. Tony Burford will speak about King's life, going over the many highlights of his career. Sgt. Linda Wilson will give the prayer and Tahara Moreno will emcee the event.

The luncheon will be held at 11:30 a.m. and feature spicy chicken gumbo, shrimp creole on rice, red beans and andouille sausage, fried okra with sweet peppers, cornbread and Southern-style banana pudding.

The holiday itself was first celebrated in 1986, three years after

President Ronald Reagan signed legislation creating the holiday.

The creation of the holiday followed a 15-year lobbying battle, beginning shortly after King's assassination in 1968. It was the first holiday established in America after 1948, when Memorial Day was created, and it's only the third this century. The other is Veterans Day, created as Armistice Day in 1926 to honor those who died in World War I.

King is the only American besides George Washington to have a national holiday designated for his birthday, though he shares it partially with Abraham Lincoln as President's Day.

King is also one of the few social leaders of any country to be honored with a holiday, joining Mahatma Gandhi, whose birthday is observed in India.

*In honor of
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.*

A luncheon will be
Saturday, Jan. 15,
11:30 a.m. in the
Yokwe Yuk Dining Room

**WEATHER**
Courtesy of Aeromet

Tonight: Partly to mostly cloudy with widely scattered showers.

Winds: Northeast to east-northeast at 8 to 14 knots, with higher gusts near showers.

Tomorrow: Mostly cloudy with widely scattered morning showers. Partly cloudy in the afternoon with isolated showers.

Winds: Northeast to east-northeast at 10 to 16 knots, with higher gusts near showers.

Temperature: Tonight's low 77°
Tomorrow's high 84°

Annual rain total: 3.96"

Annual deviation: +2.49"

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**Sun • Moon • Tides**

	Sunrise/set	Moonrise/set	High Tide	Low Tide
Tuesday January 11	/1847	/2223	1854, 5.2'	
Wednesday January 12	0708/1847	1059/2312	0722, 4.2' 1932, 4.9'	0121, 0.9' 1313, 1.3'
Thursday January 13	0708/1848	1142/1202	0808, 4.1' 2018, 4.5'	0201, 1.2' 1401, 1.6'
Friday January 14	0708/1848	1226/0052	0907, 3.9' 2120, 4.1'	0250, 1.4' 1507, 1.9'